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To the DOJ

Please stop rewarding the few special interests in the category of Apple Computer, Sun, Time Warner, Oracle, (Netscape and AOL). I am not a fan of Microsoft but they do provide a system that can benefit us all and keep prices low. There are too many financial reasons against the issue continuing the lawsuit against Microsoft. I realize that many Americans have jobs with MSFT and they cannot be laid off in this economic time. Also may I mention THE HUGE INTERNATIONAL TRADE that MSFT does in other countries - that would be lost and therefore the balance of trade would further go away from OUR favor. Stop helping our enemies. No NAPHTHA (that benefits Cuba) No DOJ suit (that helps lose jobs that are needed now. STOP special interest - if they have a BETTER PRODUCT line than MSFT let them show it and sell it - the market always drifts to the best product.